



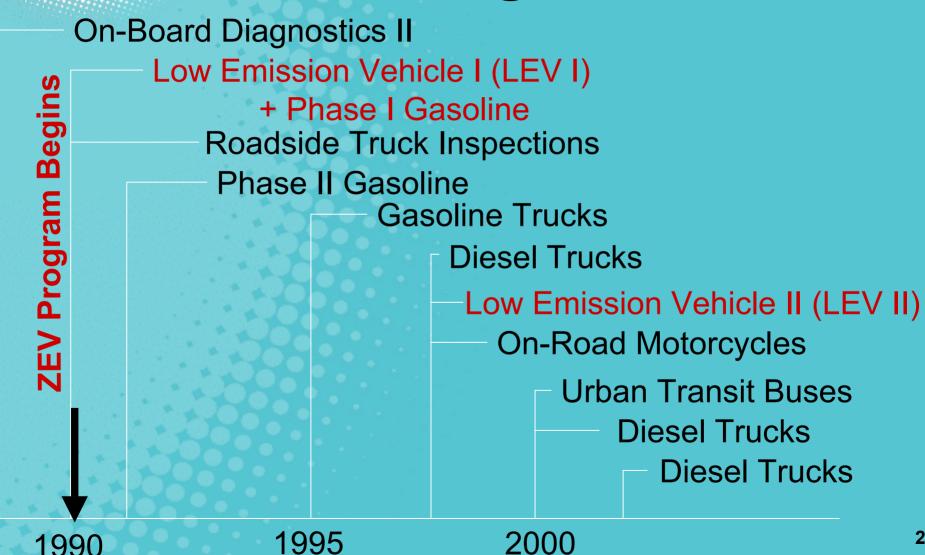
Overview

- The challenge
- ZEV program history & technology story
- The 2003 regulation
- ARB's role in bringing ZEVs to commercialization
- Section 177 States
- Next steps
- Conclusion





Key Motor Vehicle Regulations



1990





The Technology Development Story









Paul MacCready & AeroVironment

- 1977-1979 Achieves human powered flight
- 1981 Achieves solar electric flight
- 1982 Builds Sunraycer solar EV for GM
- 1988 Proposes Project Santana to GM, a highly-efficient lead-acid battery EV
 - ...they bite, and budget \$3M
- 1989 Santana (Impact/ EV1) tested at GM proving grounds in Arizona







1990: "Roger and Us"

- January 1990 GM Chairman Roger Smith announces the Impact (EV1) electric vehicle at the Los Angeles Auto Show
- The Impact (EV1) becomes one of the most publicized concept cars that GM ever (had) built
- Earth Day 1990- Roger Smith announces that GM will put the Impact (EV1) into production





1990: ARB LEV I

- Declining fleet average requirement
- Included Clean Fuel Outlet program
- Initial ZEV requirement
- Full implementation by 2003





Motor Vehicle Fuels Control Strategy

- Treat vehicles / fuels as a system
 - Vehicle emission standards
 - Fuel standards
 - Include lubricants
- Flexible









ZEV Requirements

 Located within LEV I in section 1960.1 (g) (2) as footnote (5) to a table for "Fleet Average NMOG Exhaust Emission Standards for LDV Weight Classes 7-10", it said:

"While meeting the fleet average standards, each manufacturer's sales fleet shall be composed of at least 2% ZEVs in the model years 1998 through 2000, 5% ZEVs in 2001 and 2002, and 10% ZEVs in 2003 and subsequent."

Entire ZEV regulation was only a few sentences





1990: **ZEV** Requirements

- Other elements:
 - Intermediate manufacturers exempt until 2003
 - Biennial reviews
 - Regulatory flexibility
 (e.g. trading, banking)





1990: ZEV Program Rationale

- Projected improvements in conventional technology not sufficient to meet air quality standards
 - Substantial portion of the fleet had to emit "zero" (clean California power plant levels)
- ZEVs avoid ICE vehicle emissions performance deterioration with age